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SUBJECT: S/V SERENITY CLEARANCE REQUEST, APRIL -
DECEMBER 1977

REF: (A) STATE 244987 OF 15 OCT 75 (B) STATE 23235 OF
2 FEB 77

1. S/V SERENITY OPERATORS HAVE ISSUED A SCHEDULE FOR THE
REMAINDER OF 1977 WHICH WILL COMPLETE RESEARCH PROGRAM.
THE NEW SCHEDULE IS AS FOLLOWS:

APRIL/MAY 1977 - AUSTRALIA

JUNE - AUG - PAPUA, NEW GUINEA (BISMARCS, TROBRIANDS,
D'ENTRECASTEAUS IS.)

SEPTEMBER - SOLOMONS (BOUGAINVILLE, CHOISEUL, GUADACANAL)

OCTOBER - NEW HEBRIDES

NOV/DEC - NEW CALEDONIA (TORES IS, SANTA CRUZ IS)

2. FOR CANBERRA: DEPT UNDERSTANDS THAT SERENITY HAS
PERMISSION TO CONDUCT RESEARCH DURING APRIL/MAY.

3. FOR JAKARTA: REFTEL (B) HAD STATED CLEARANCE WOULD
BE NEEDED FOR GOI WATERS; HOWEVER, THE NEW PLAN HAS
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ELIMINATED THE NEED FOR CLEARANCE FROM THE GOI.

4. PERSONNEL, VESSEL AND RESEARCH PLAN REMAIN EXACTLY
AS DESCRIBED IN REFTEL (A).

5. ACTION: LONDON, PARIS, PORT MORESBY - EMBASSIES
ARE REQUESTED TO TRANSMIT NEW SCHEDULE TO HOST GOVTS.
AS VESSEL HAS CONDUCTED RESEARCH WITHIN THESE SAME
JURISDICTIONS DURING THE FIRST PART OF THE VOYAGE IT
IS HOPED THAT THEIR CLEARANCES CAN MERELY BE EXTENDED
TO COVER THE REVISED SCHEDULE. IF A NEW CLEARANCE IS
REQUIRED EMBASSIES ARE REQUESTED TO TAKE NECESSARY
ACTION FOR TIME PERIOD INDICATED. PLEASE REPORT WHEN
ACTION IS RESOLVED.

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